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the entrails of birds  
like the tape sucked in  
by a tape recorder  
warned against nothing

there was order in the skies  
no comets no falling stars  
no black moons were reported

and when the time came  
nothing changed  
in the entrails of birds  
nor in the celestial geography

only night would come earlier to the city  
at nine sharp in all the windows

and the factories were full of women

*Translated by the author*